## Speak Swahili with Diplomats



Project Title	Speak Swahili with Diplomats
Project Summary	Speak Swahili with a diplomat! Our Foreign Service Officers in training at FSI are looking for native speakers of Swahili to practice their language skills. Discuss politics, current events, economics, or film, music, art history and food, to help prepare diplomats for their mission overseas.
Country	United States
Agency	Department of State
DoS Office	FSI/SLS/EUA
Post	N/A
Section	N/A
Number of Interns	2

### **Project Description**

The Foreign Service Institute (FSI) trains diplomats in over 70 languages. The more practice they get speaking their target language, the more prepared they will be for their language exam, and most importantly, to do their job at post. We are looking for native Swahili speakers to converse with our Foreign Service Officers in an informal setting, either by phone or video chats. By speaking Swahili with our Diplomats, you will have a unique opportunity to help them improve their language competence, as well as to discuss Kenyan or Tanzanian history, politics and culture with a future representative of the United States to Kenya or Tanzania.

#### **Desired Skills Interests**

#### **Additional Information**

None

# **Language Requirements**

Language Speaking Proficiency Reading Proficiency Importance
Swahili/Kiswahili Native or bilingual proficiency Native or bilingual proficiency Required